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**Subject:** Re: Bachman Services Chemical Fire [ER in Oklahoma City]  
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Ok we can discuss next week...there have been some site delays since we spoke and on my way to an ER in LA at the moment anyway....thx

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Jhana,

I am really sorry, but I just received comments from HQ on a proposed plan that have to be incorporated into the document by next Tuesday. We have already announced in the local paper that the documents will be available for public review and we have scheduled the public meeting, so this must be done as soon as possible. We can ask for assistance from the other risk assessors (Phil Turner, Anna Milburn) if you still need it.

The spreadsheet done by Melinda McCoy is really good and it contains most of the benchmarks that are currently available for the chemicals that were detected. Some of the values that are missing include Ammonia and others that are dependent on pH, hardness and temperature. These will need to be calculated. I started work on this but I will not be able to do anything else till next Wednesday. Let me know if you ask another risk assessor for help and I will give them all the information that I have collected.

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▼ Jhana Enders---08/17/2012 01:31:48 PM---Ken, I really appreciate you taking the time to review the sample data on such short notice. Since

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Ken,

I really appreciate you taking the time to review the sample data on such short notice. Since the site was an ER, things are moving quickly and the fast turn around is appreciated. Hope to remove the dams this week [water flows into the Oklahoma River which runs through town] if all goes well.

If you need more information, the site is on the OSC website:

[www.epaossc.org/BachmanServicesFire](http://www.epaossc.org/BachmanServicesFire)

Thanks.

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